

Investigation Brief

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Facility/Premises:	Schlumberger Perth Office - [REDACTED]
RMS ID:	IVT 10524
Dutyholder:	Schlumberger Australia Pty Ltd (no longer a title holder)
Dates of investigation:	To be confirmed
Prepared by:	[REDACTED]

1. Investigation Team

The investigation team comprised the following personnel:

Lead inspector:	[REDACTED]
Investigation team:	[REDACTED]
Subject matter expert:	[REDACTED]

2. Investigation Objectives

The National Offshore Petroleum Safety and Environmental Management Authority (NOPSEMA) has directed NOPSEMA Inspectors to conduct the inspection (investigation) in accordance with the powers and provisions defined in Part 2 of the Regulatory Powers (Standard Provisions) Act 2014. The investigation also includes consideration of all associated regulations and good oil field practice.

The objectives of the investigation are to identify regulatory non-compliance and where identified take appropriate enforcement action consistent with NOPSEMA's enforcement policy.

3. Background and Purpose

Background Information:

Schlumberger Australia Pty Ltd (Schlumberger) conducted the Otway Basin 2D Marine Seismic Survey between January to April 2020.

4. Scope

The scope of the investigation is as follows:

- (a) To gather sufficient information to ascertain compliance with elements outlined in Section 3 of this brief.
- (b) To determine the appropriate course of action, including potential enforcement action, in response to any identified potential offences.

5. Conduct investigation, including but not limited to:

- Facility inductions and an entry meeting at the regulated business premise.
- Conducting interviews with management, environment personnel, marine fauna observers and other members of the workforce (as needed).
- Investigation at the premises
- Receiving, reviewing, collecting or sighting relevant documents at the premises.
- Collating preliminary observations/findings from the investigation.

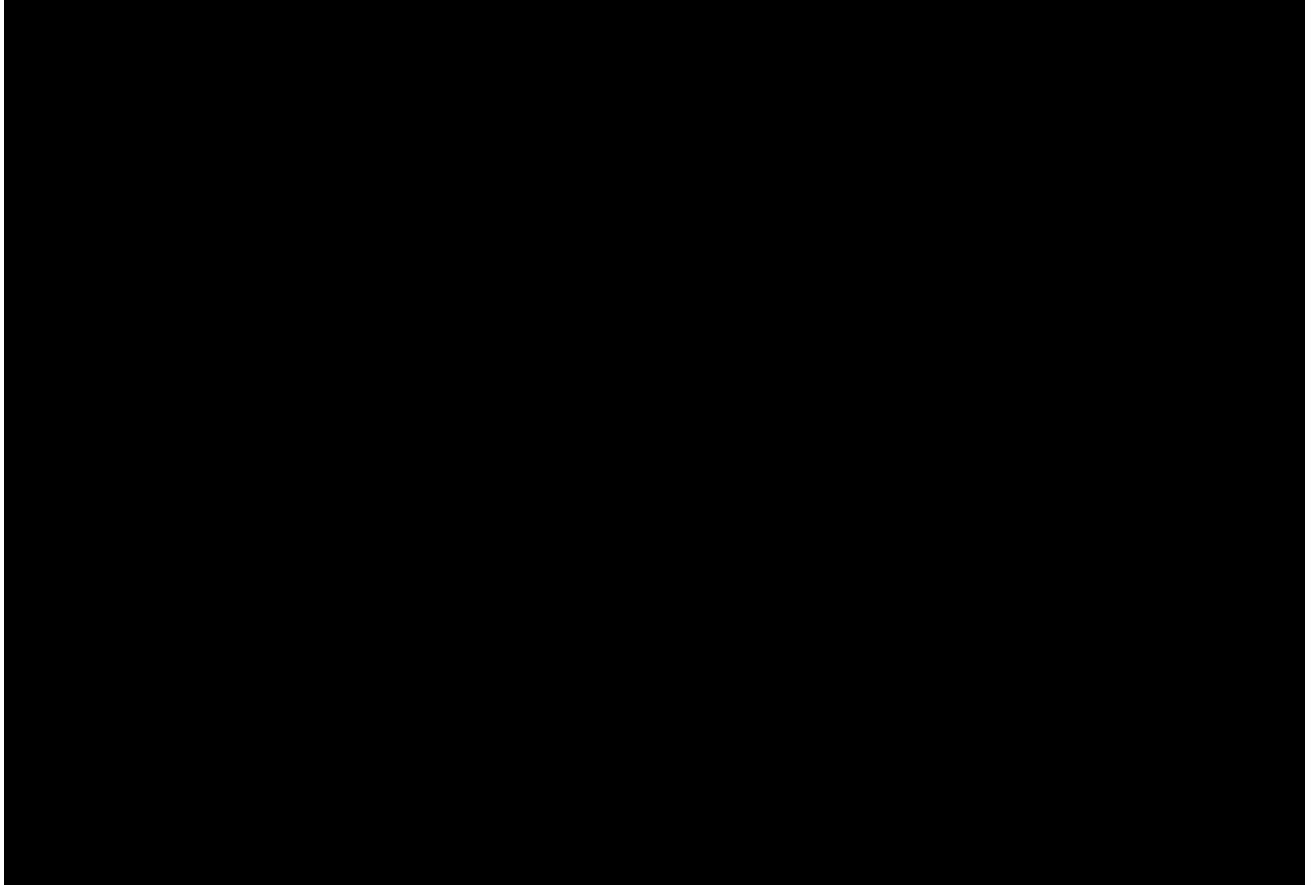
5.1. Concluding the investigation, including:

- Conducting an exit meeting to discuss and provide a written summary of the observations and findings from the investigation

Feedback on the conduct of the investigation may be provided to NOPSEMA at the meeting, or electronically via the NOPSEMA website.

6. Requirements

1. A key contact person for the visit having the authority to facilitate access to relevant personnel.
2. Access to relevant personnel which have been identified in Section 5 (above).
3. The following documentation [REDACTED]



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